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BY
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HORI SEITA



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MORIO SEITR



The Herald

A grotesque monster that eliminates anyone who tries to harm the Stalled while in Stasis, crushing their head. Thought to react to brain waves produced by bloodlust. The grandfather of the Yukawa family refers to it as the Handler.

Sagawa

Founder of the Genuine Love Society. Wields an incomplete form of the Stasis spell.

Majima

A mysterious woman working with the Genuine Love Society. Wound up in Stasis with her family when she was a girl, where she first met Juri, who kicked her out, separating her from her family.

Juri

Eldest daughter of the Yukawa family. Entered Stasis with her grandfather in order to rescue her nephew, Makoto. Has the power to drive people out of Stasis.

Makoto

The son of Sanae, Juri and Tsubasa's younger sister. Was kidnapped by men hired by the Genuine Love Society and is currently wandering through Stasis.

Tsubasa

Eldest son of the Yukawa family and a veteran shut-in. Was kidnapped along with Makoto and pulled into Stasis after an unforeseen development.

Takafumi

The rickety central pillar of the Yukawa family and Juri's father. Kidnapped by the Genuine Love Society in Stasis.

Grandpa

Juri's grandfather and the successor of the Stasis spell. Hid its existence from his family. Capable of teleporting meters at a time in Stasis, albeit with a shaky landing.

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CHARACTERS



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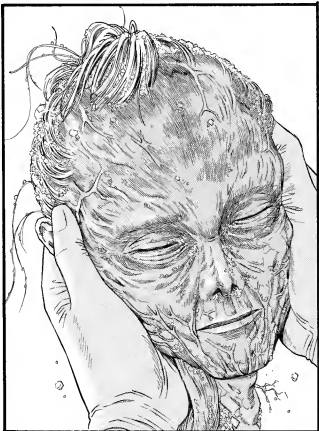
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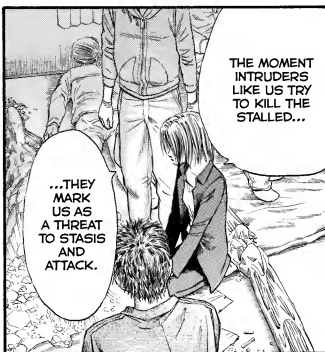
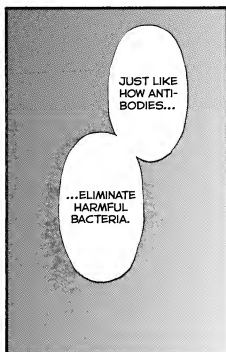


I FIGURED
AS MUCH,
BUT...

IT'S NOT
THEM...

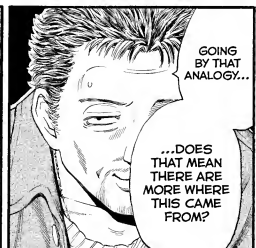


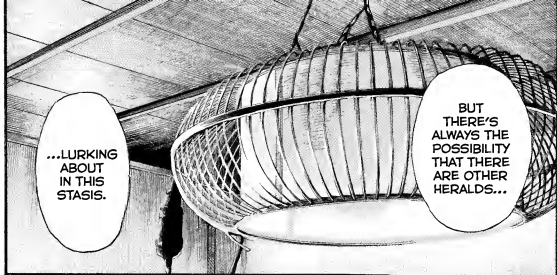




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...LURKING
ABOUT
IN THIS
STASIS.

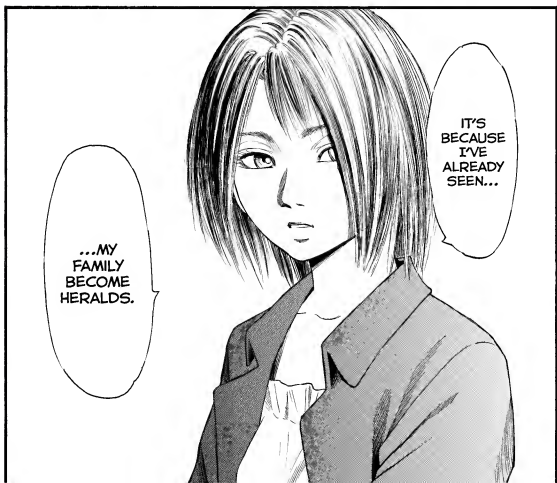
BUT
THERE'S
ALWAYS THE
POSSIBILITY
THAT THERE
ARE OTHER
HERALDS...



YOU
WALTZED
RIGHT UP
TO THIS
MONSTER.

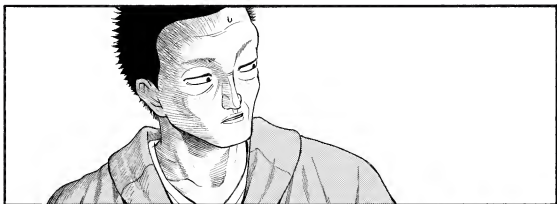
'ZAT WHAT
HAPPENS
WHEN YOU
DEAL WITH
GEN LOVE
LONG
ENOUGH?

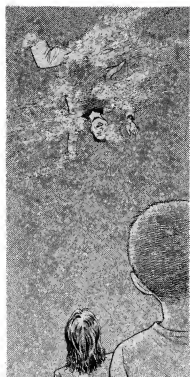
NOT
LIKE IT
MATTERS,
BUT YOU'RE
AWFULLY
CALM ABOUT
ALL OF
THIS.



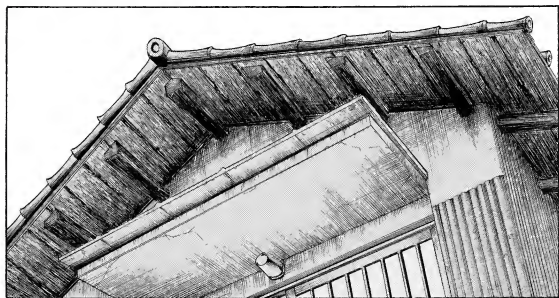
...MY
FAMILY
BECOME
HERALDS.

IT'S
BECAUSE
I'VE
ALREADY
SEEN...

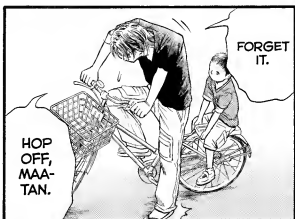
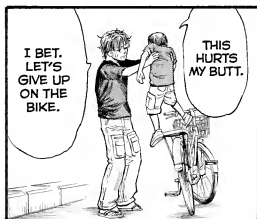


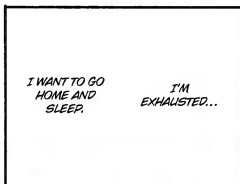


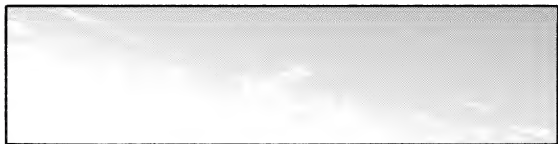
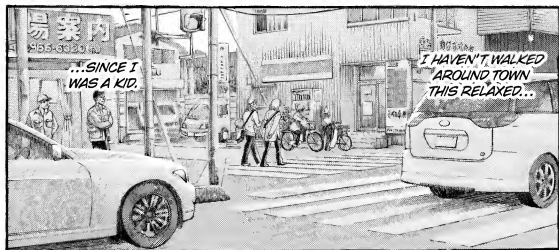
...AFTER
WE WERE
DRAGGED
IN BY THE
YUKAWAS'
SPELL.



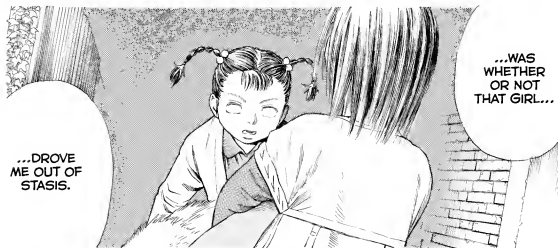


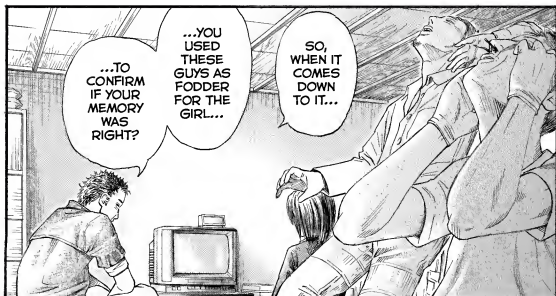


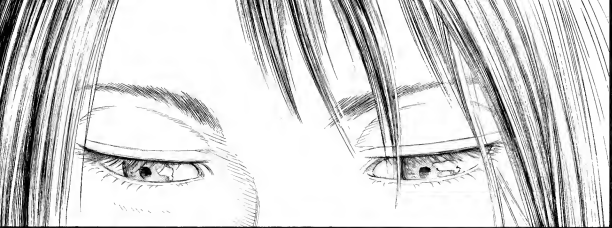




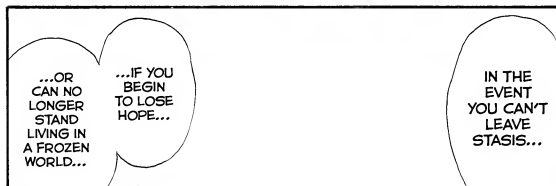
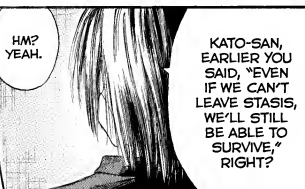
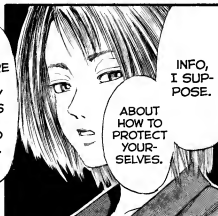
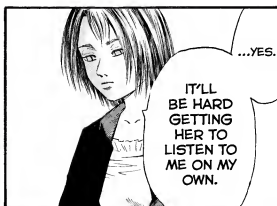


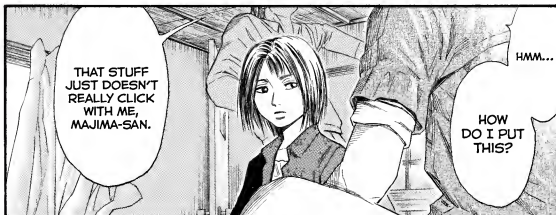


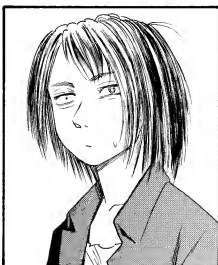












HANG ON A SEC.



HUH?!







REGARDING
WHERE THEIR
FAMILY IS,
INCLUDING THE
HOSTAGES...

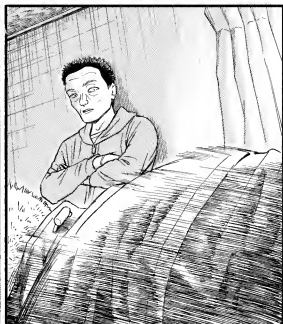


THEN THE
QUESTION
IS WHERE
WILL THEY
MOST LIKELY
SHOW UP?

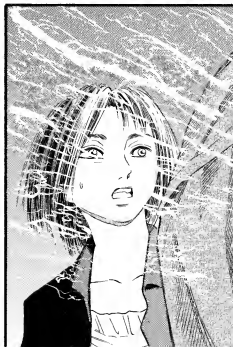


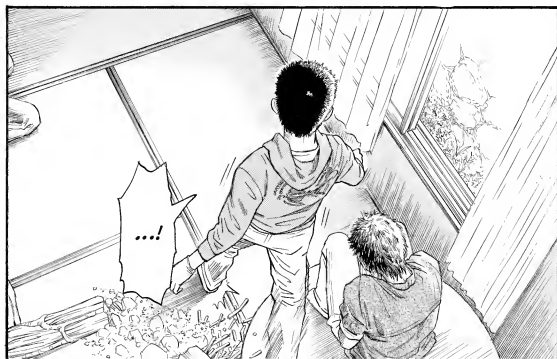
...I
FIGURE
THE ONE
THEY'LL
PRIORITIZE
IS...

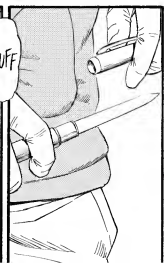
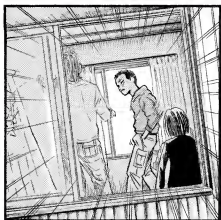
FWUMP

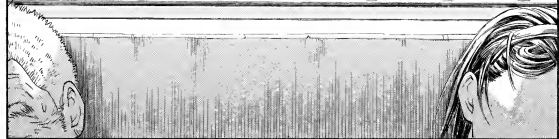
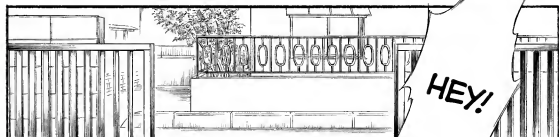






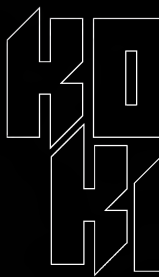


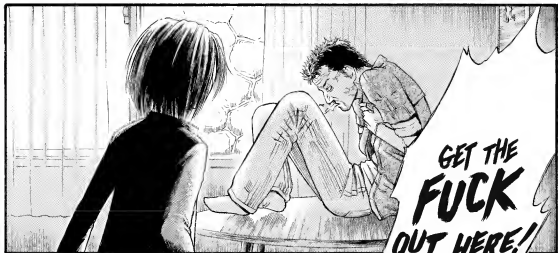
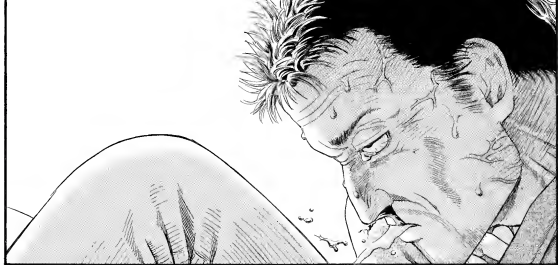




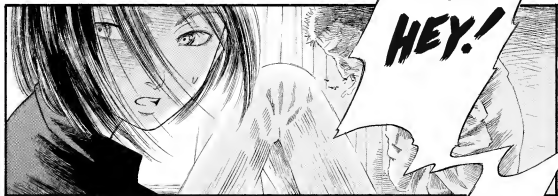








GET THE
FUCK
OUT HERE!
HEY!



YOU
LITTLE
SHIT!



HEY!
GET
BACK
HERE!

THEY'LL
TAKE US
OUT ONE
BY ONE IF
WE SPLIT
UP!



IT'S
DANGEROUS
TO STAY
INSIDE!

NO,
DUMBASS!
YOU COME
WITH ME!



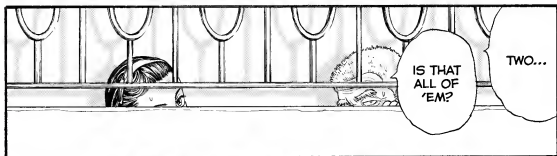
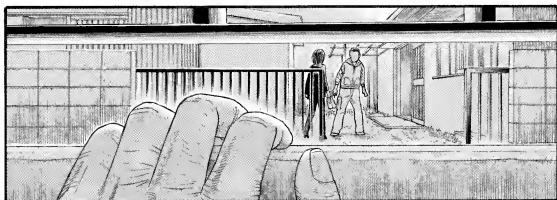
I KNOW...

...SO WE
HAVE TO DO
SOMETHING
ABOUT THE
HOUSE.

TSUBASA
MIGHT BRING
MAKOTO
BACK...



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THE OLD
MAN'S TELE-
PORTATION...



YES.
THAT'S
THE LIMIT,
ACCORDING
TO SAGAWA.

BUT HE
CAN ALSO
TELEPORT
WITH OTHER
PEOPLE.

YOU SAID
HE CAN
MOVE FIVE
TO TEN
METERS
AT A TIME.

YOU'RE
SURE
ABOUT
THAT?!



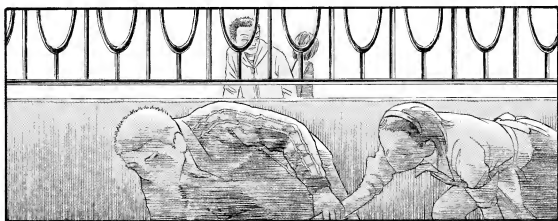
WE'RE
IN A BAD
SPOT.
THERE'S
TOO MUCH
COVER
HERE.

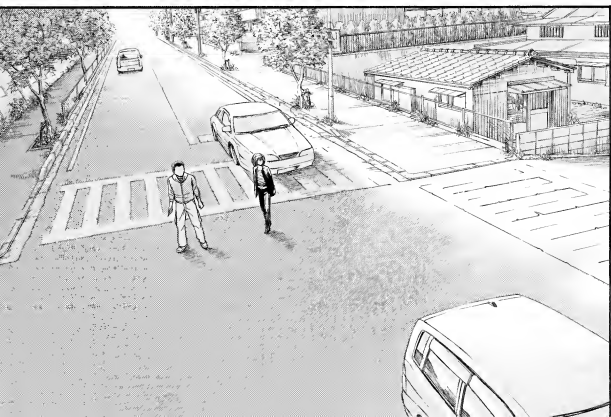
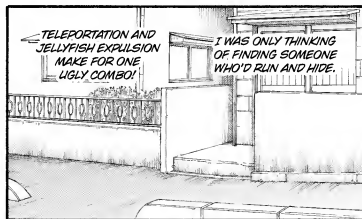
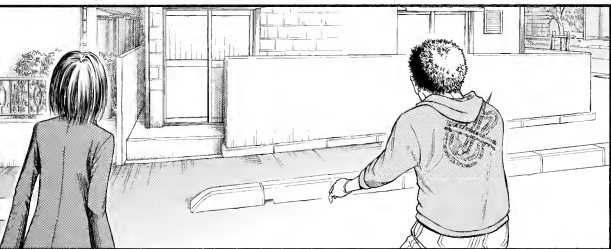
WE
GOTTA
GET SOME-
WHERE
MORE
OPEN.

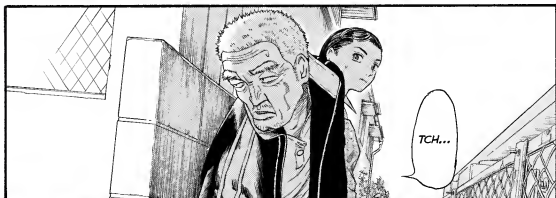
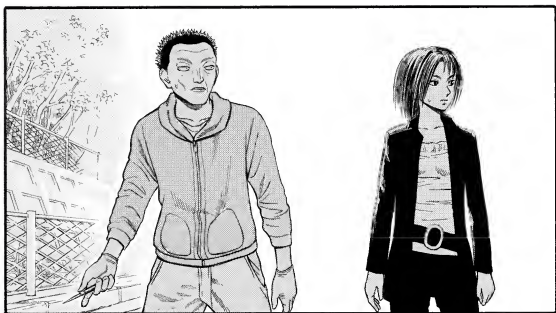


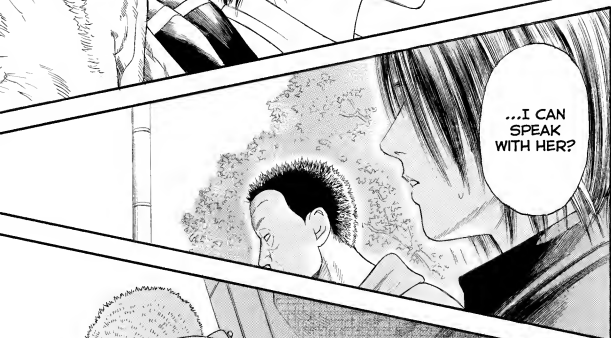
SINCE
HIS POWER
USES THE
SPECTERS'
PROPER-
TIES...

...I THINK
HE MIGHT BE
ABLE TO LINK
WITH OTHER
PEOPLE'S
SPECTERS.











WE CAN'T
GO GVIN'
'EM ANY
OPENINGS!

NO.



BUT...
DON'T YOU
WANT TO
ASK?! IF SHE
REALLY IS
THE GIRL I
MET ON THE
BRIDGE THAT
NIGHT...

...WHY
IS THIS...?

THEY MEAN
US HARM.
THAT GOES
WITHOUT
SAYING.

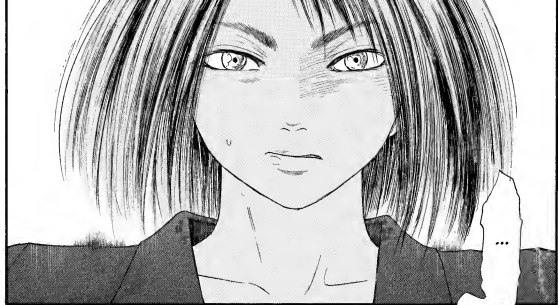
WHAT DO
YA MEAN
WHY?



SHE'S TOO
DANGEROUS
AS LONG AS
THE OLD MAN'S
WITH HER!



THE
FACT THAT
THEY'VE GOT
GUYS LIKE THAT
WORKIN' FOR
'EM IS PROOF!



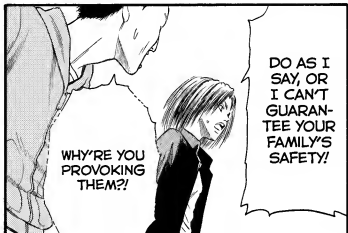
COME OUT
ALONE!

JURI
YUKAWA!

CAN YOU
HEAR ME?!



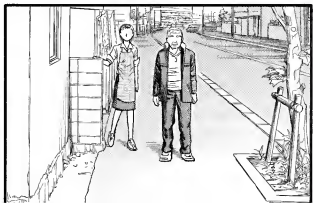
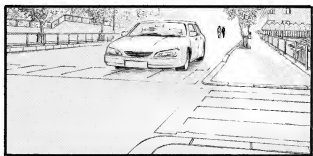
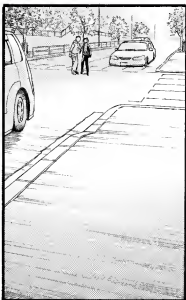
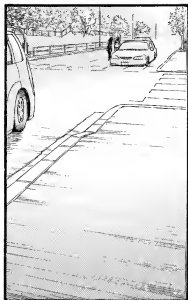
DON'T
TAKE
THE
BAIT!

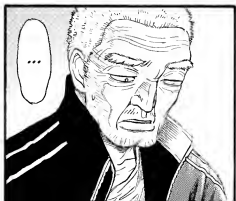
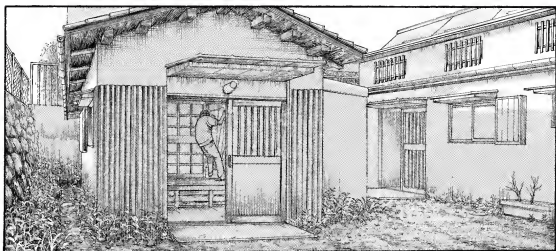


WHY'RE YOU
PROVOKING
THEM?!

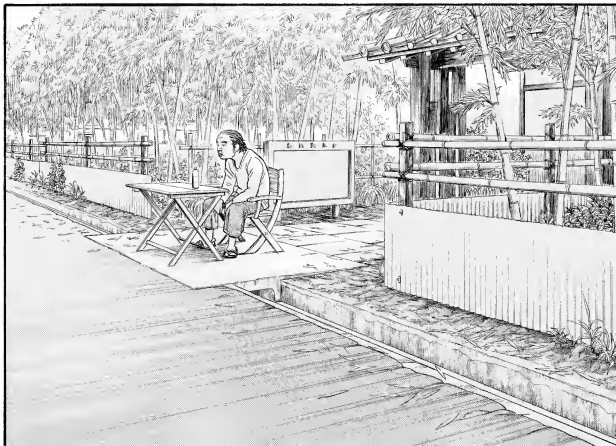
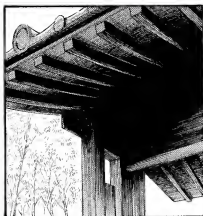
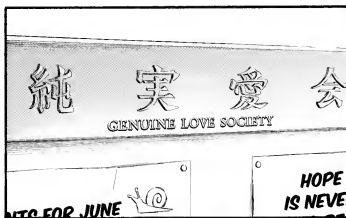
DO AS I
SAY, OR
I CAN'T
GUARAN-
TEE YOUR
FAMILY'S
SAFETY!?

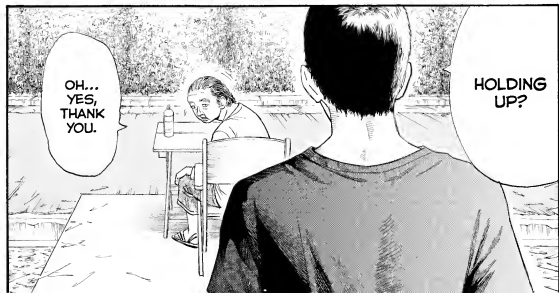
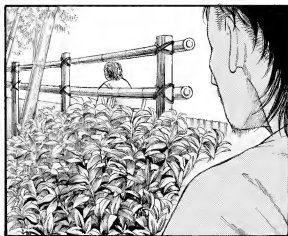




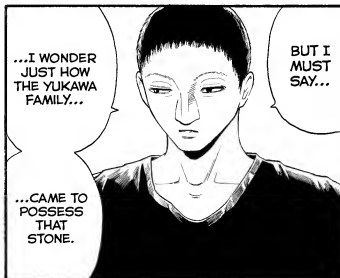


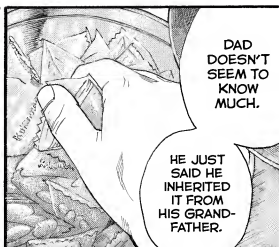


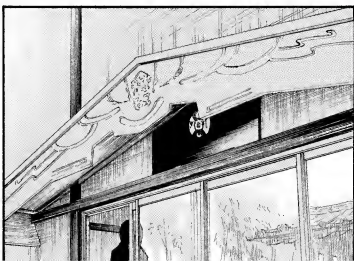
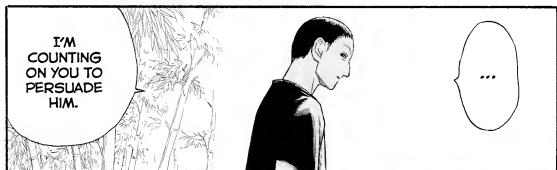


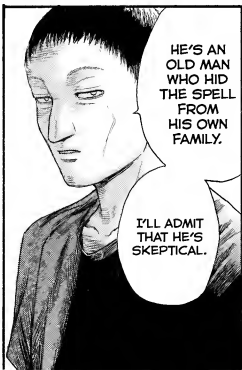














ALL HE
WANTS IS
PEACE AND
QUIET.

THIS
SITUATION,
AS WELL AS
THE POWER
OF STASIS...

TAKAFUMI-SHI
IS MORE OF
A TIMID INTER-
MEDIARY THAN A
NEGOTIATOR.

THAT'S
THE KIND
OF MAN
HE IS.

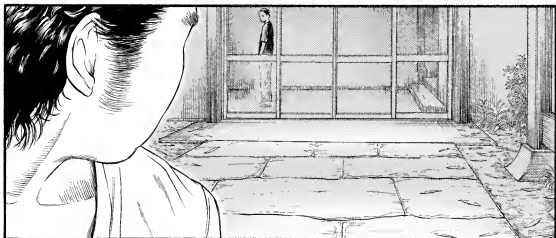
...IS
NOTHING
MORE THAN
UNWANTED
TROUBLE
TO HIM.

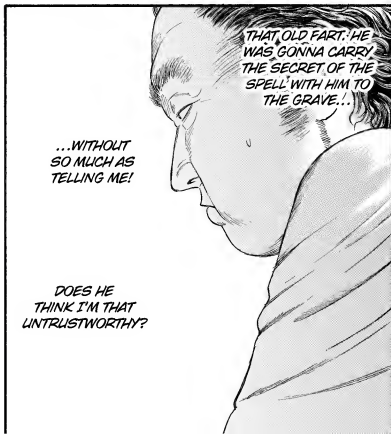
HE'LL
REALIZE
HE ONLY
POSSESSED
THE STONE BY
CHANCE...

...AND
THAT HE'S
NOT THE KIND
OF PERSON
TO FIGHT
WITH HIS LIFE
ON THE LINE.

I'M
SURE
THAT WILL
SPREAD TO
THE OLD MAN.

OR SHOULD
I SAY, HE'LL
BE BROUGHT
TO HIS
SENSES.





THAT'S WHY HE
COULDN'T KEEP UP THE
CARP-FISHING CLUB,
OR THE SOBA-MAKING
CLUB. THINGS ALWAYS
GET AWKWARD, AND HE
QUITS.

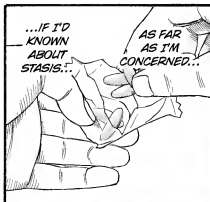
IT'S NOT
BECAUSE OF
HIS AGE OR
THE STONE.
THAT'S JUST HIS
PERSONALITY.

HE'S ALWAYS BEEN
LIKE THAT. HE'S A
NARROW-MINDED
CONTRARIAN WHO
DOESN'T CARE
ABOUT OTHER
PEOPLE'S OPINIONS.



...IF I'D
KNOWN
ABOUT
STASIS...

AS FAR
AS I'M
CONCERNED...



NO WAY.
THAT'S JUST
ARROGANT!

AND IS IT
REALLY RIGHT
TO JUST END
SOMETHING
THAT'S BEEN
PASSED DOWN
THE FAMILY FOR
GENERATIONS
WITH HIM?

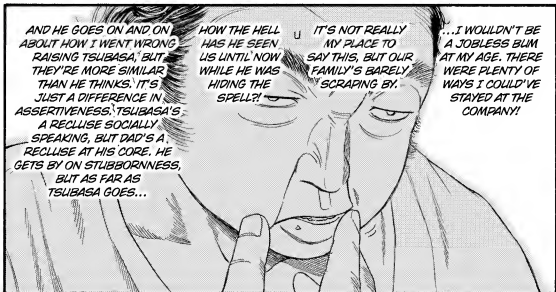


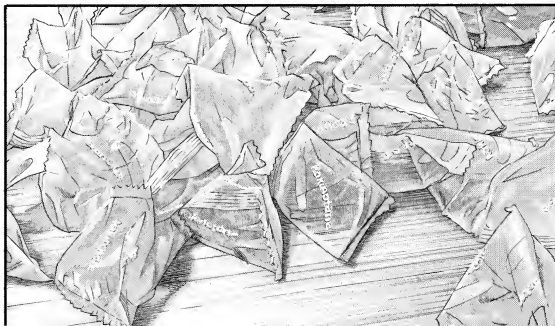
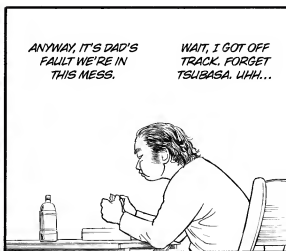
AND HE GOES ON AND ON
ABOUT HOW I WENT WRONG
RAISING TSUBASA, BUT
THEY'RE MORE SIMILAR
THAN HE THINKS. IT'S
JUST A DIFFERENCE IN
ASSERTIVENESS. TSUBASA'S
A RECLUSE SOCIALLY
SPEAKING, BUT DAD'S A
RECLUSE AT HIS CORE. HE
GETS BY ON STUBBORNNESS,
BUT AS FAR AS
TSUBASA GOES...

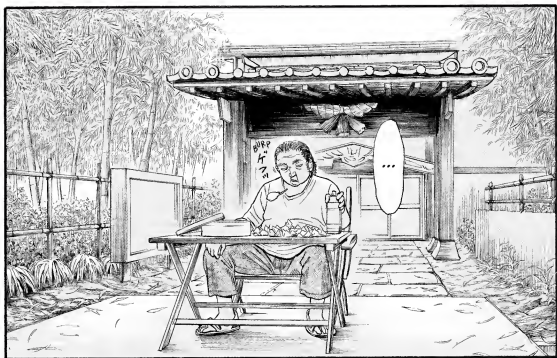
HOW THE HELL
HAS HE SEEN
US UNTIL NOW
WHILE HE WAS
HIDING THE
SPELL?

IT'S NOT REALLY
MY PLACE TO
SAY THIS, BUT OUR
FAMILY'S BARELY
SCRAPING BY.

...I WOULDN'T BE
A JOBLESS BUM
AT MY AGE. THERE
WERE PLenty OF
WAYS I COULD'VE
STAYED AT THE
COMPANY!







DON'T
TELL
ME...

...THEY
MIGHT
NEVER
SHOW
UP.

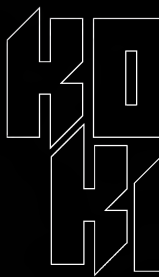


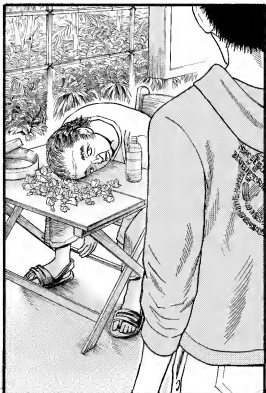
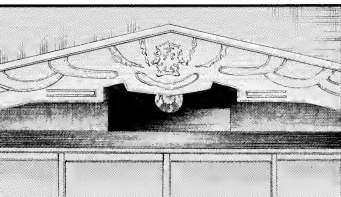
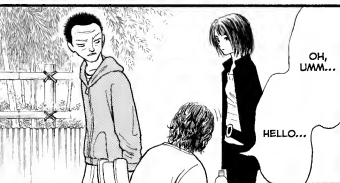
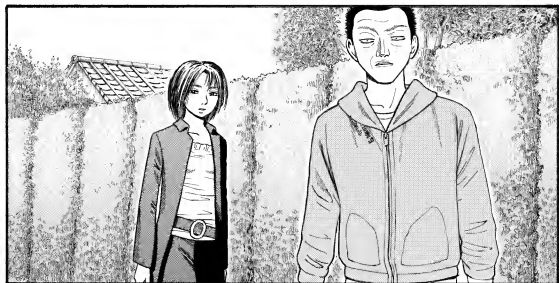
WE
SHOULD
PROBABLY
GET DAD...

HEY.

OH...

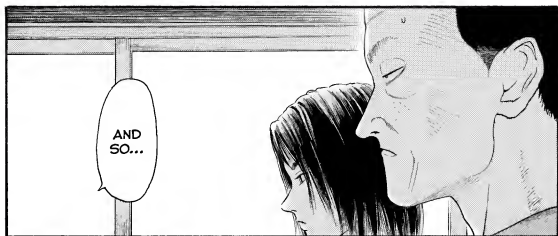








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AND
SO...



GOOD
THING YOU
GOT AWAY,
HUH?

...YOU
GUYS
JUST RAN
FOR YOUR
LIVES?

MUST'VE
BEEN
SOOO
SCARY.



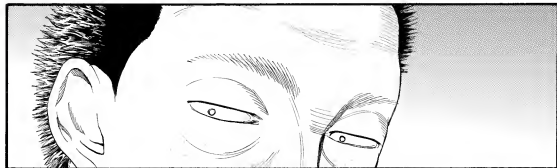
...MAJIMA-
SAN.

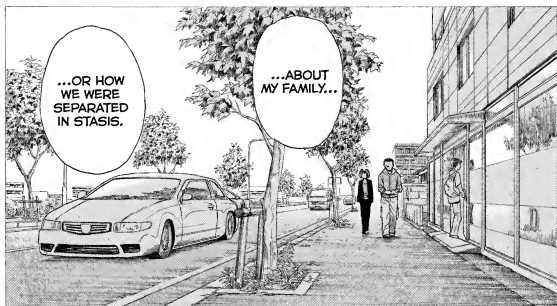


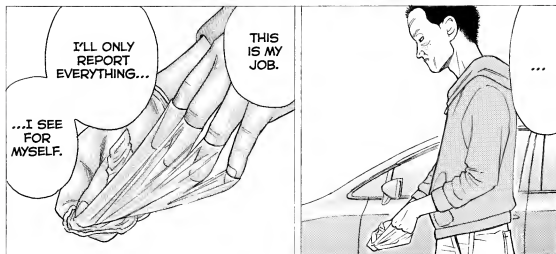
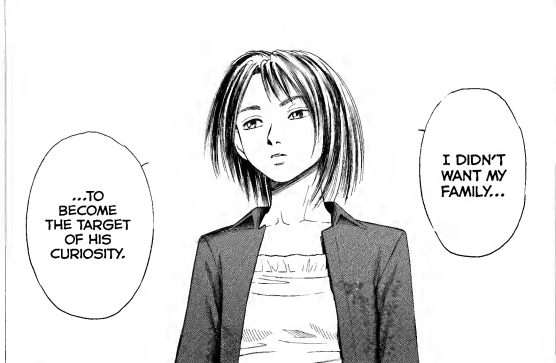
HEY,
HOW MUCH
DID WE
PAY HER
AGAIN?

I'M
STARTIN'
TO FEEL
PRETTY
STUPID
HERE.



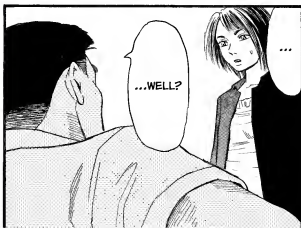
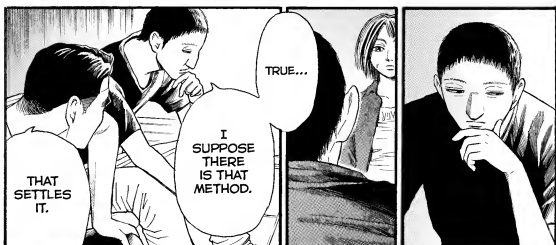
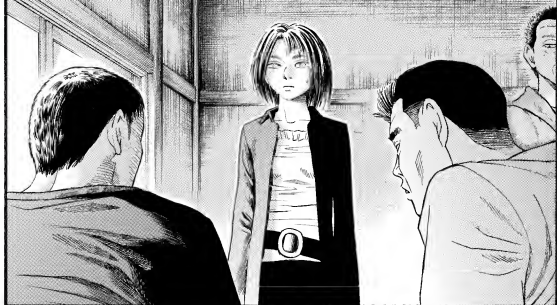


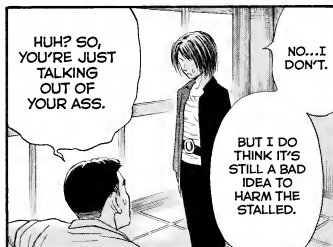
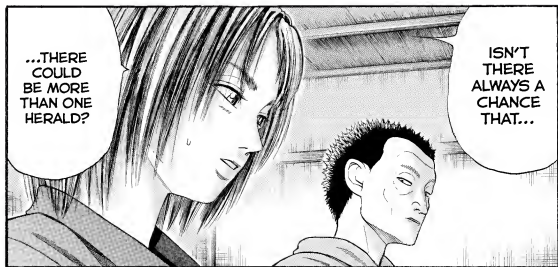


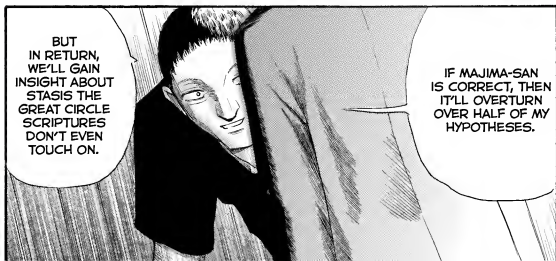


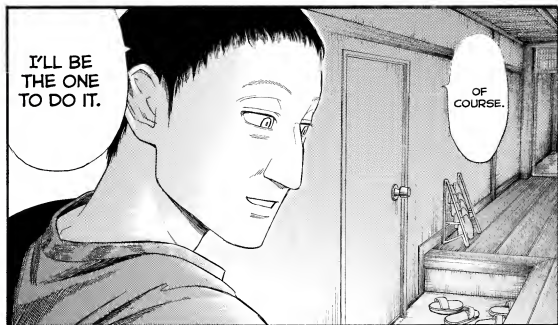


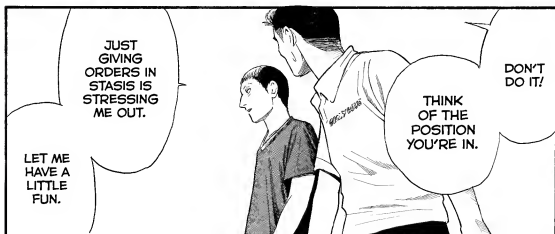
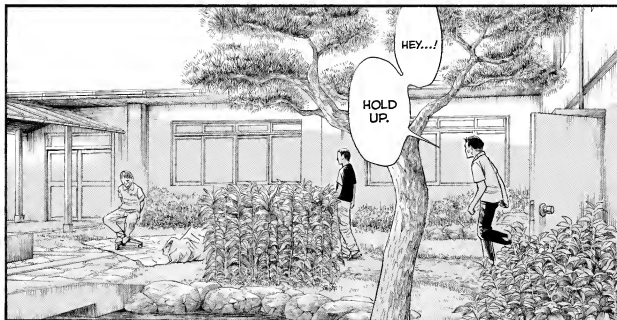
















THAT WAS
BECAUSE HE
WAS STILL WITHIN
ACCEPTABLE
LEVELS OF
BLOODLUST...

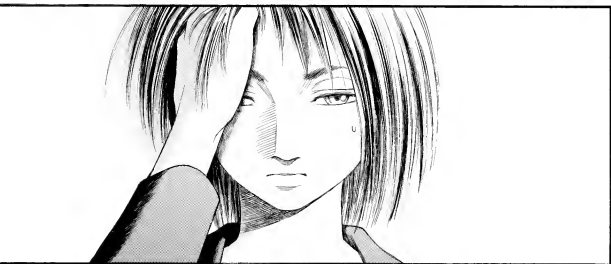
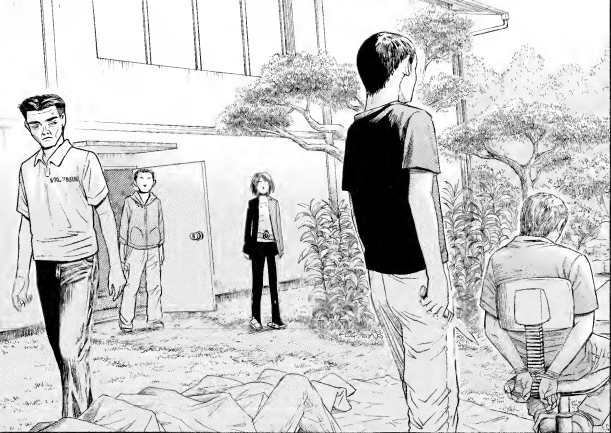
DO YOU
REMEMBER HOW
THE HERALD
ONLY STOOD
THERE FOR A
WHILE AFTER IT
APPEARED?

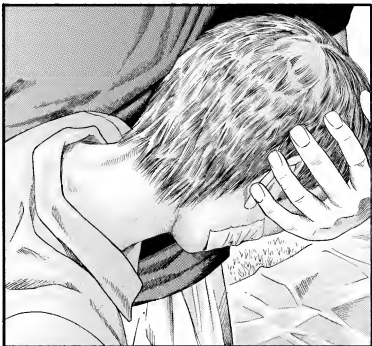
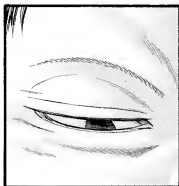
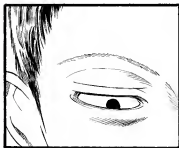
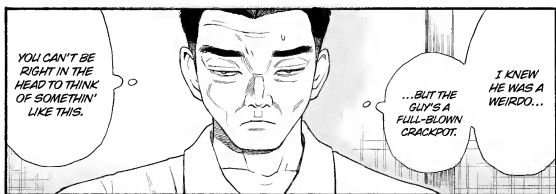
...THE
HERALD
WILL NOT
ACT.

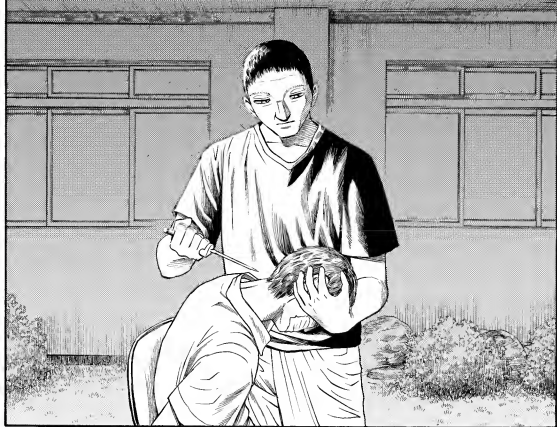


MEANING
THAT IF WE
CAN CONTROL
OUR BLOOD-
LUST AND
KEEP IT FROM
CROSSING
THAT LINE...

...AND
WAS ONLY
KILLED
WHEN HE
CROSSED
THAT LINE.

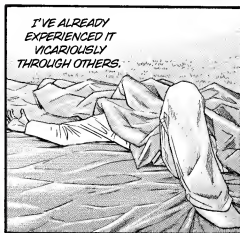






MY HEAD IS
ALREADY FULL OF
AWFUL THOUGHTS
JUST STANDING
HERE, BUT...

...
GRADUALLY
INCREASING
BLOODLUST IS
HARDER THAN
IT SEEMS.

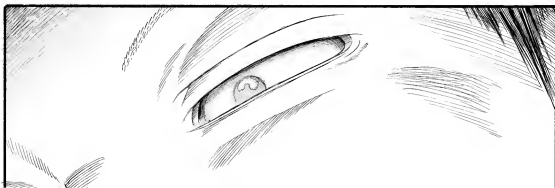
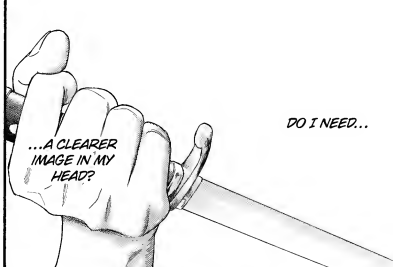


I'VE ALREADY
EXPERIENCED IT
VICARIOUSLY
THROUGH OTHERS.



...
NOTHING YET,
I SEE.

I SUPPOSE
THIS LEVEL OF
INTENT ISN'T
ENOUGH.



I SHOULD
CLEAR EVERYTHING
BEFORE...

I JUST
CAN'T GET
INTO IT. THE
KNOWLEDGE
THAT THE
STALLED ARE
PROTECTED BY
THE HERALD IS
GETTING IN
THE WAY.



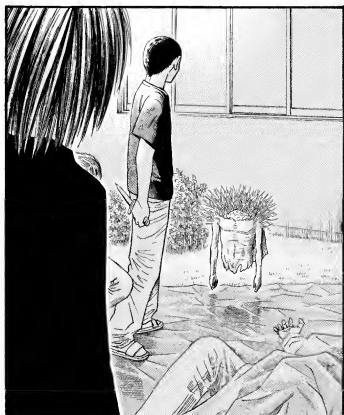
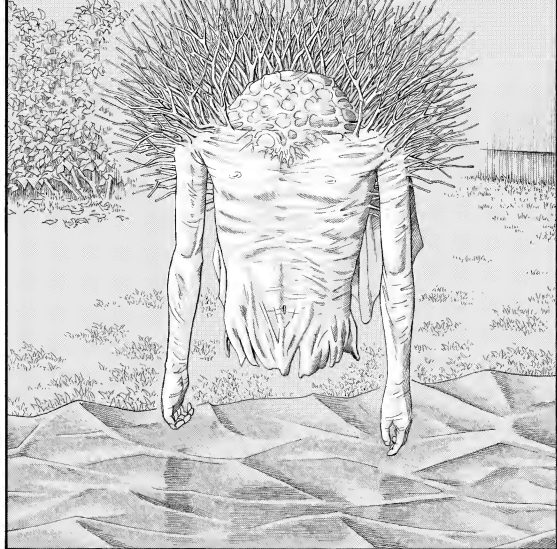
WHAT
IS IT?

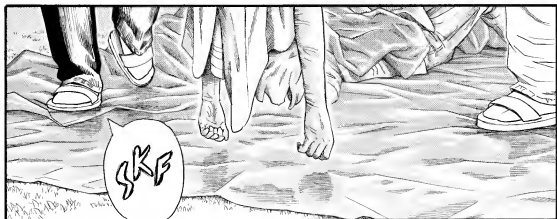
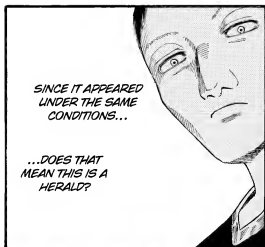
...
HUH...?

ERR...

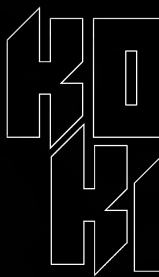
IS
THAT...?

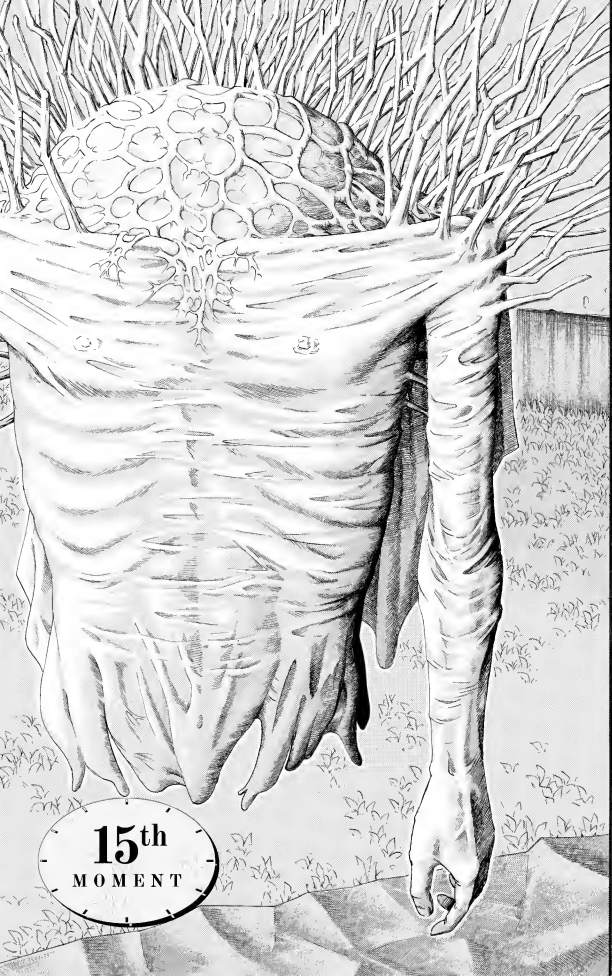






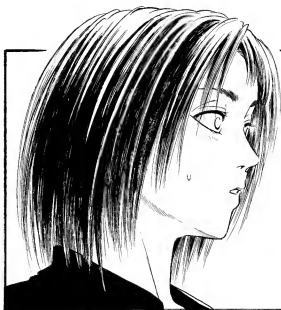






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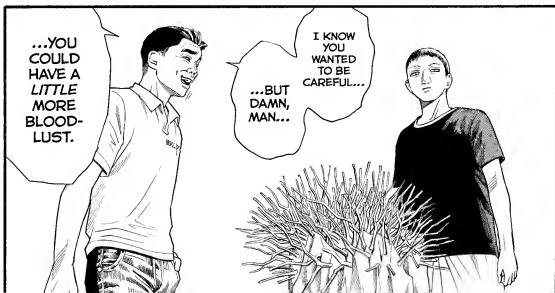
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HA,
HA.



WHAT
THE HELL
IS THIS?!



...YOU
COULD
HAVE A
LITTLE
MORE
BLOOD-
LUST.

I KNOW
YOU
WANTED
TO BE
CAREFUL...

...BUT
DAMN,
MAN...



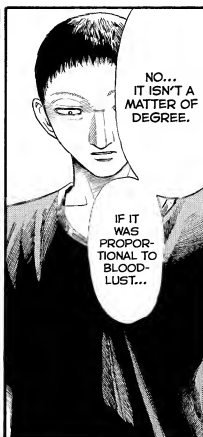
...A CHILD'S BODY?!

EVEN SO,
IT'S FAR TOO
DIFFERENT
FROM THE
PREVIOUS
HERALD.



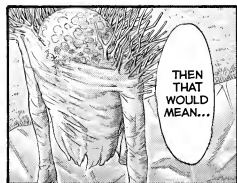
...THEN
IT WOULD
HAVE
APPEARED
ABOUT
THIS SIZE
A NUMBER
OF TIMES.

IS THIS...



NO...
IT ISN'T A
MATTER OF
DEGREE.

IF IT
WAS
PROPOR-
TIONAL TO
BLOOD-
LUST...



THEN
THAT
WOULD
MEAN...



...THIS
LITTLE
GUY...

...WAS A
DUD OR
SOME-
THING.

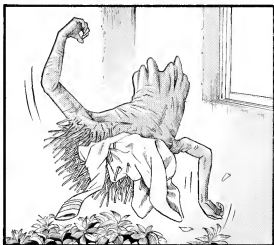
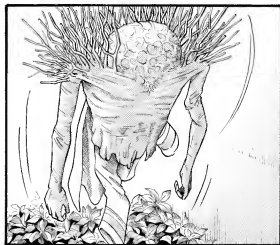


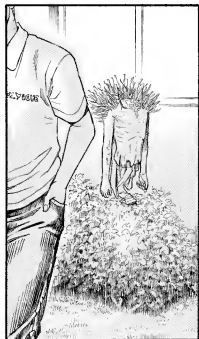
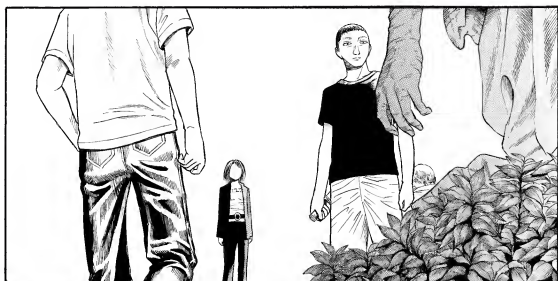
OR MAYBE
IT'S LIKE YOU
SUGGESTED
BEFORE...

Y'THINK IT'S
LIKE THE
REMNANTS
OF THE
LAST ONE?

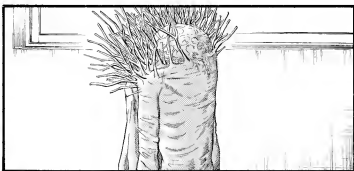
...AND THE
FOUNDER
IS THE
ONE WHO
CREATED
THEM.

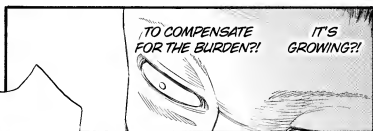
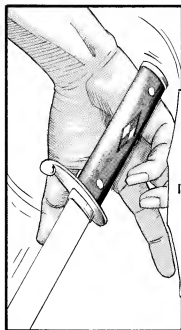
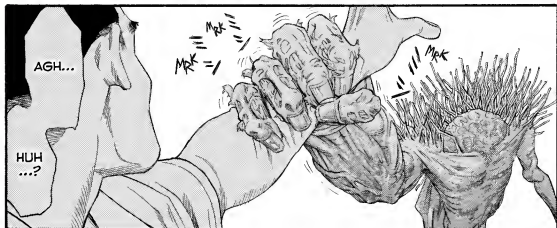


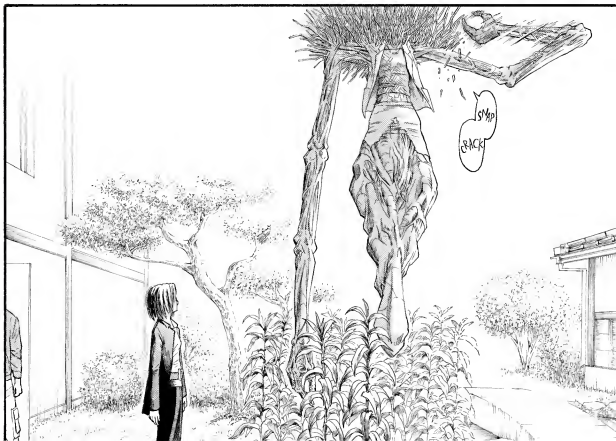


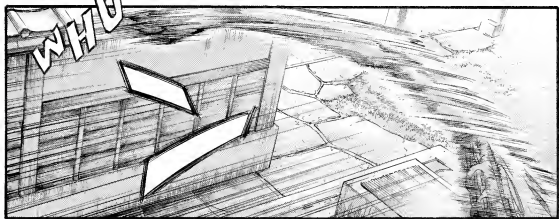
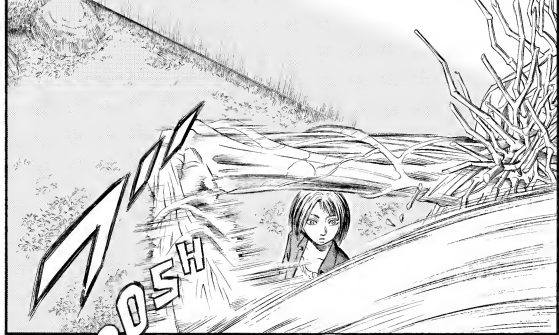


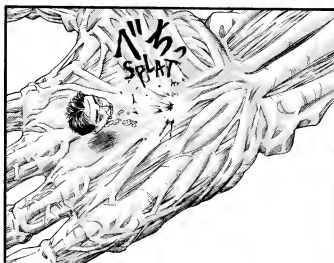




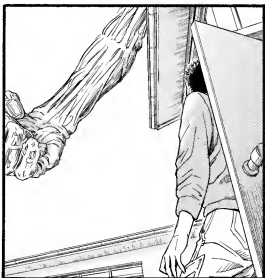


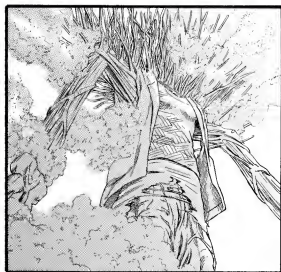


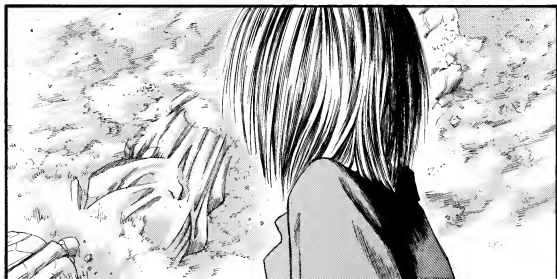
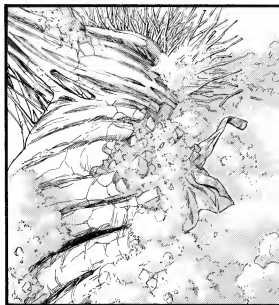
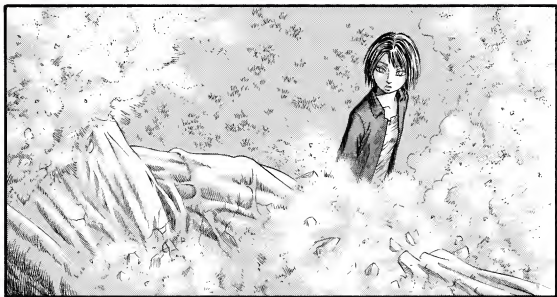


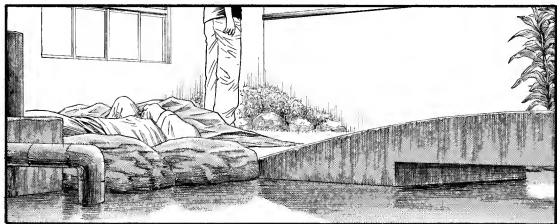
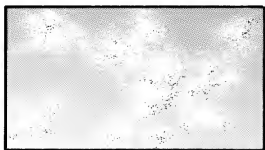
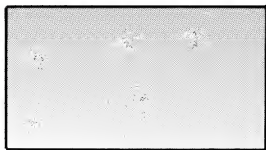


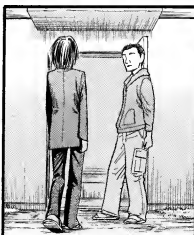
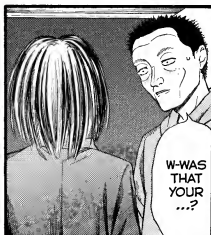
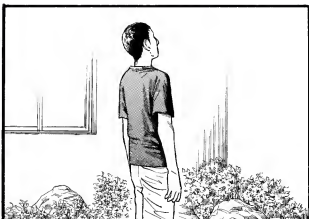
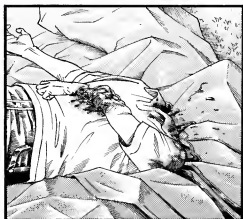


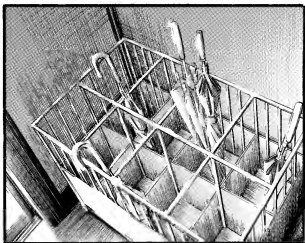
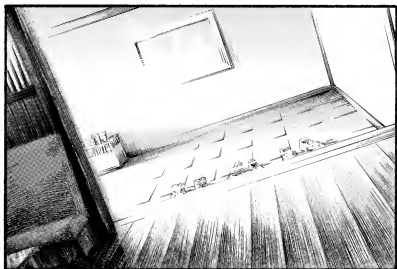


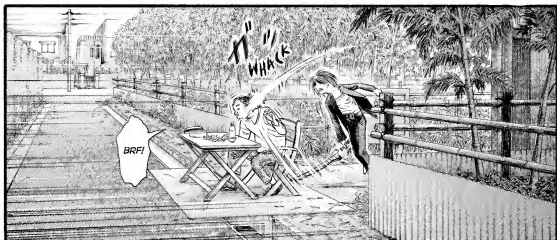


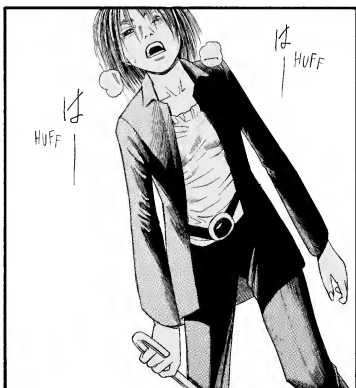


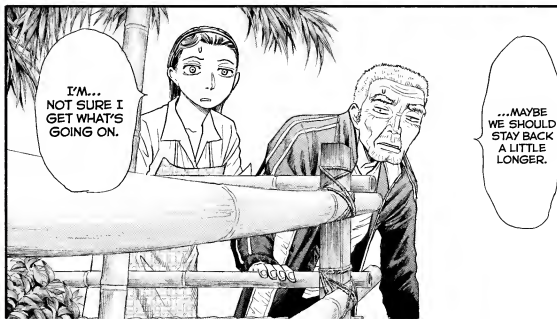




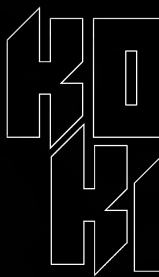


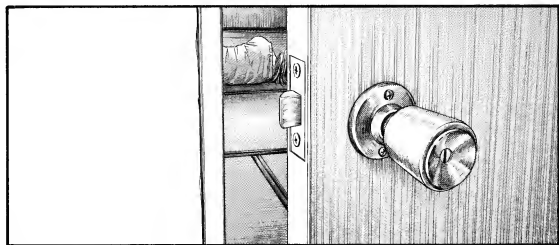
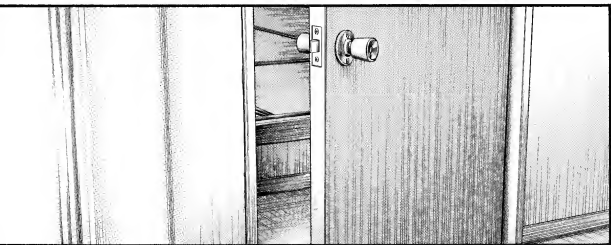
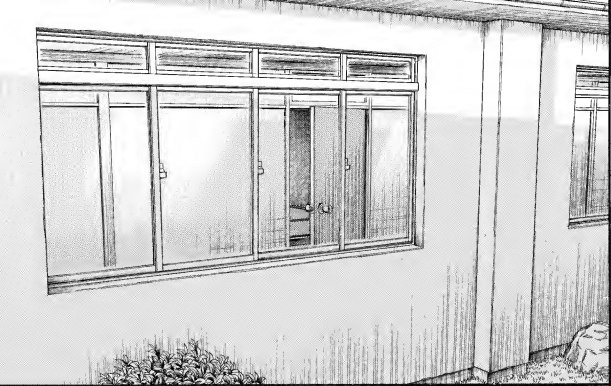






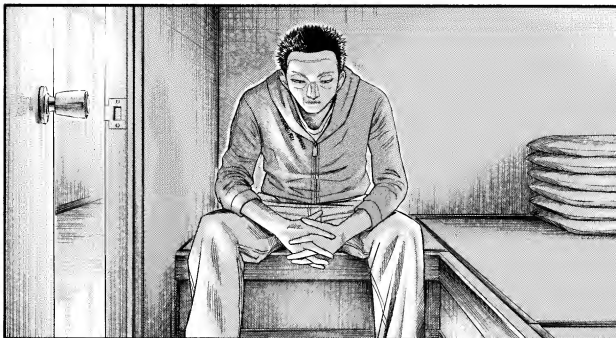
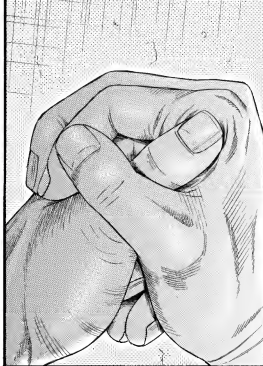


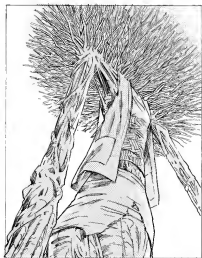


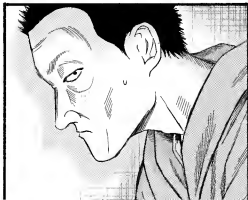
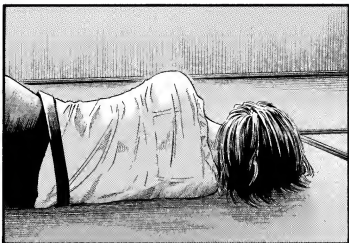


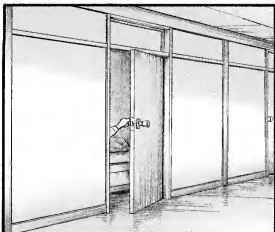
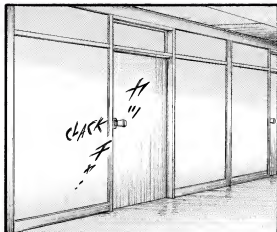
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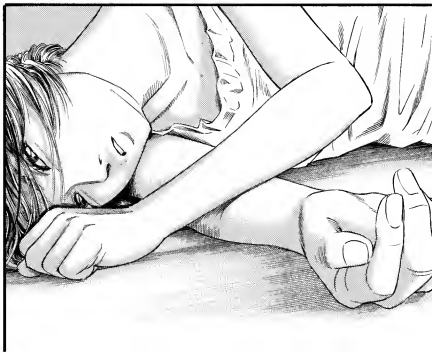
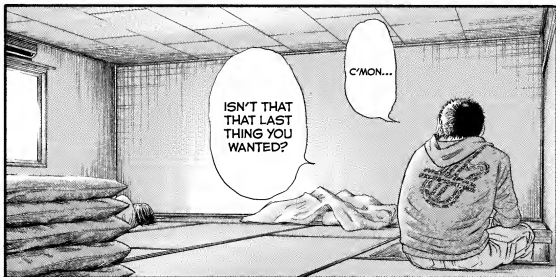


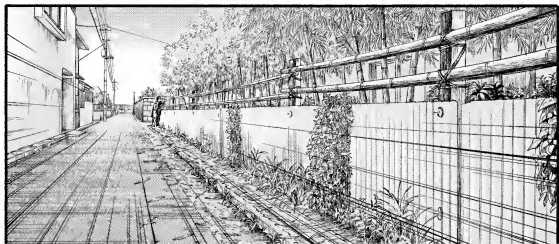
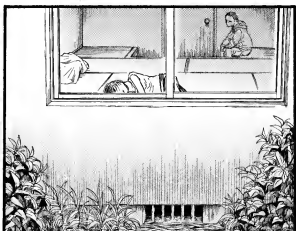
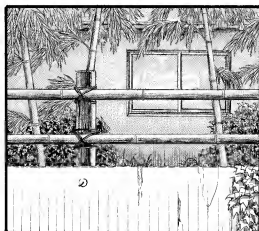


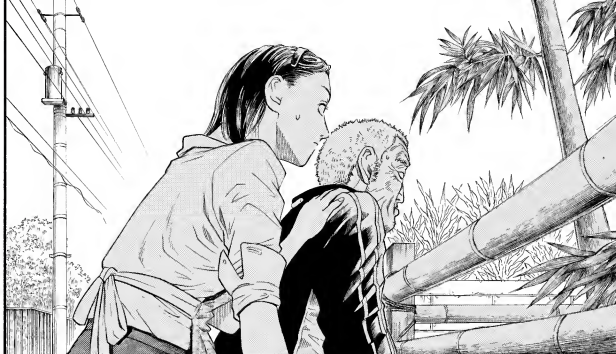


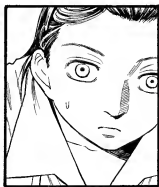


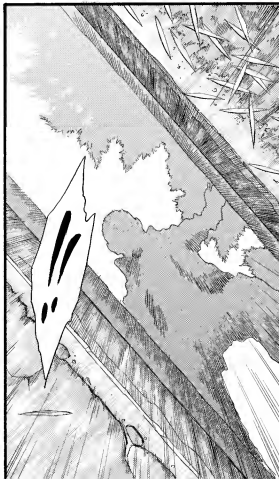
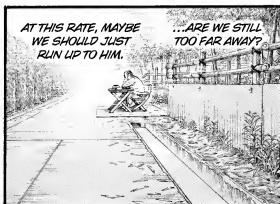


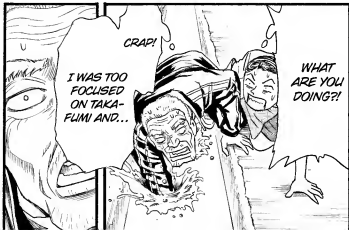
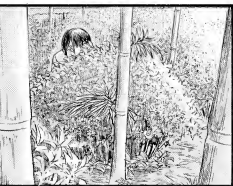
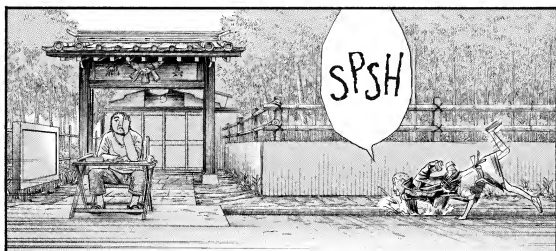


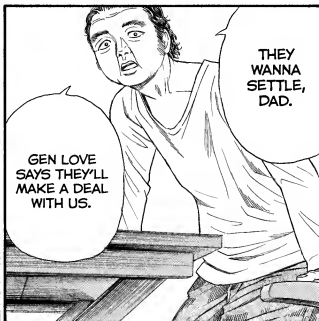
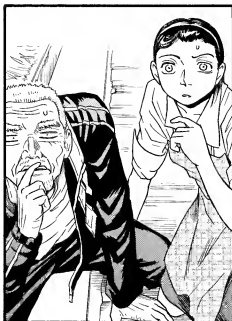


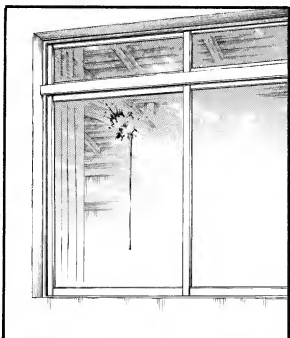
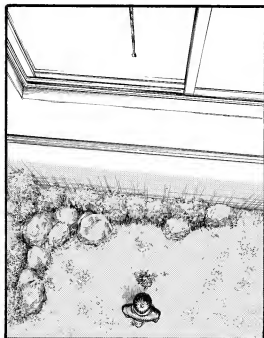
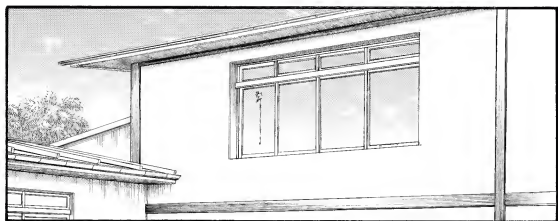


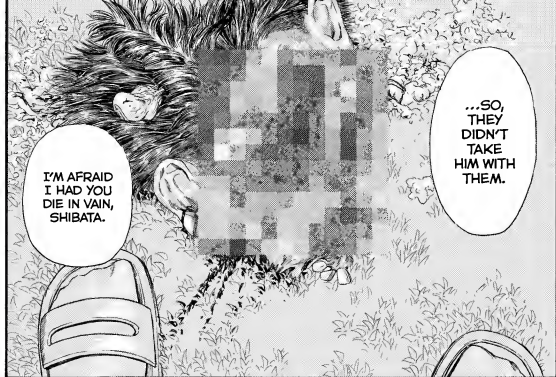












I'M AFRAID
I HAD YOU
DIE IN VAIN,
SHIBATA.

...SO,
THEY
DIDN'T
TAKE
HIM WITH
THEM.



...BUT IT
SEEMS THAT
AWARENESS
KEPT ME
FROM
THINKING
OUTSIDE
THE BOX.

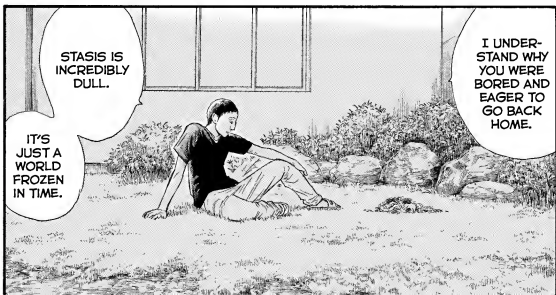
I'VE TRIED
TO DISTANCE
MY THINKING
FROM THE
DOCTRINE'S
TEACHINGS...

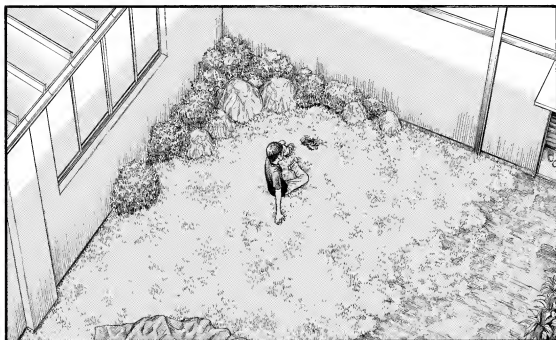
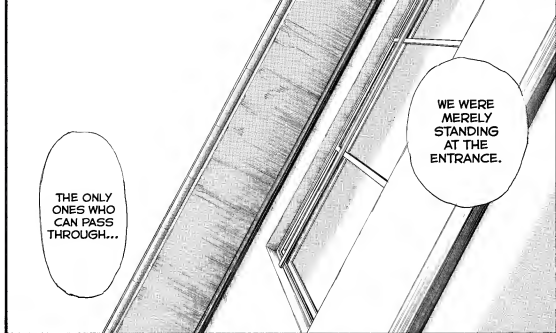


ULTIMATELY,
IT FAILED,
ACCIDENTALLY
CREATING
A HIGHLY
DECORATED
GODLIKE
FIGURE.

...BUT
TRACES OF
AN ATTEMPT
TO PREVENT
THAT VERY
PROCESS.

THE
CHARACTERS
WRITTEN ON THE
FIRST-GENERATION
HERALD WERE
NOT PART OF SOME
INCANTATION
MEANT TO TURN
PEOPLE INTO
HERALDS...





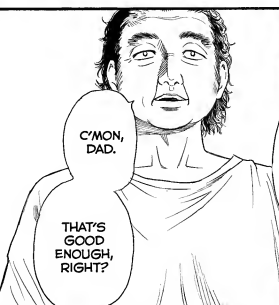


DON'T YOU
THINK IT'S
WEIRD...

...THAT
OUR FAMILY
HAS IT?

AND THAT
IT'S BEEN
MISSING
FOR AGES.

THEY
SAY THAT
STONE IS AN
IMPORTANT IDOL
CREATED BY
THE SOCIETY'S
FOUNDER,



C'MON,
DAD.

THAT'S
GOOD
ENOUGH,
RIGHT?



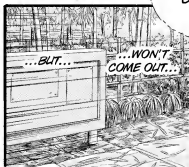
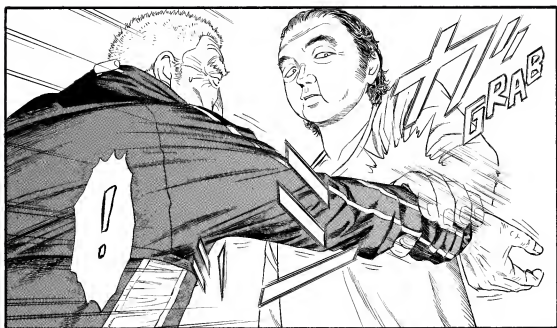
...THEY SAY
THEY'LL
DROP THE
WHOLE
THING.

IF WE LIFT
THE SPELL
IN FRONT
OF THEIR
REPRESENT-
ATIVE AND
HAND OVER
THE STONE...

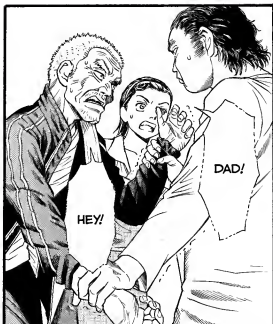


YEAH...

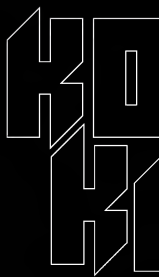
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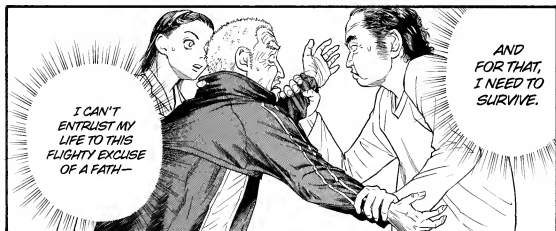




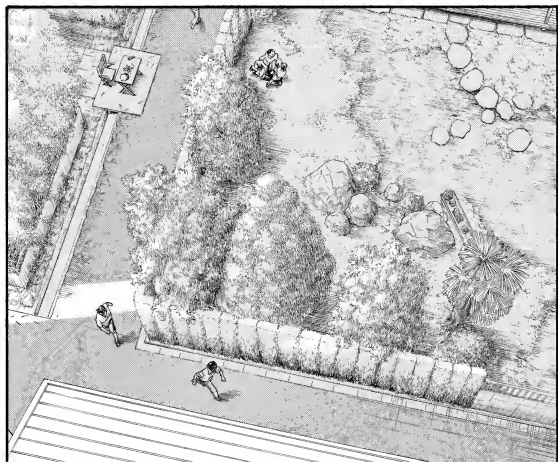




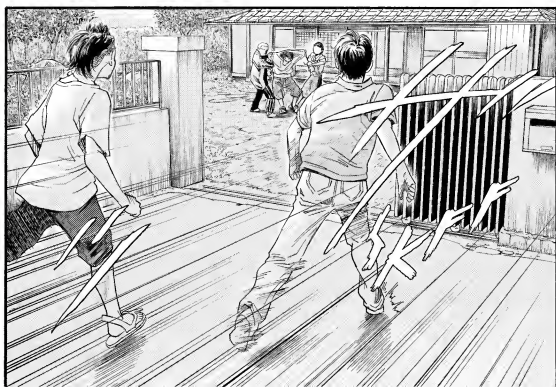
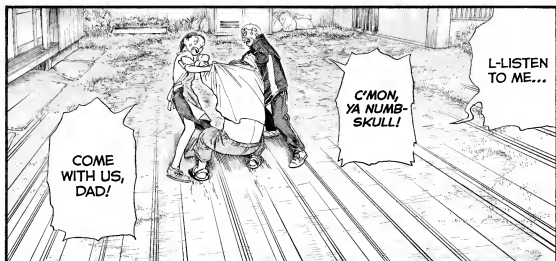
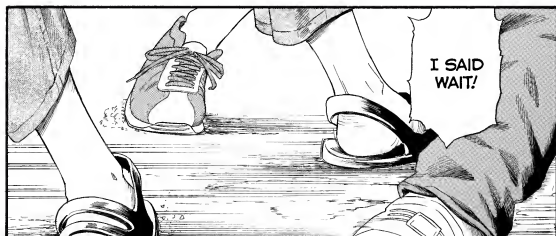
...MY
LIFE...

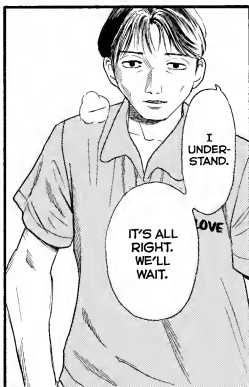
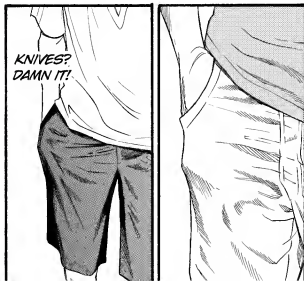
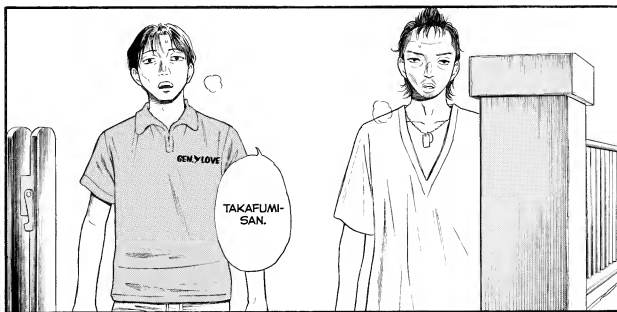


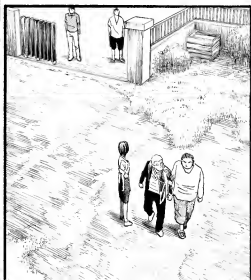
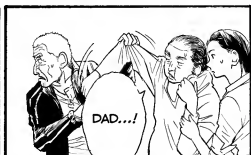
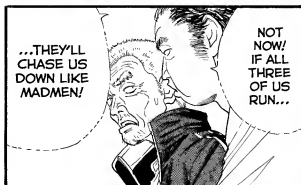




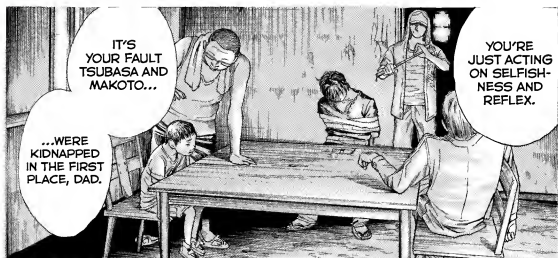
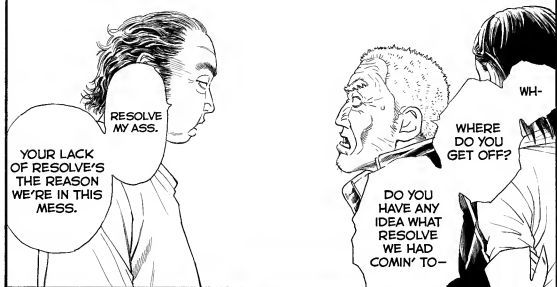


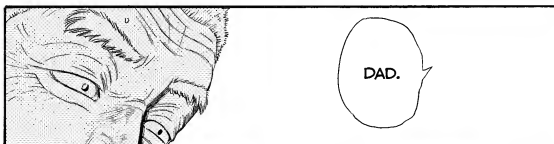
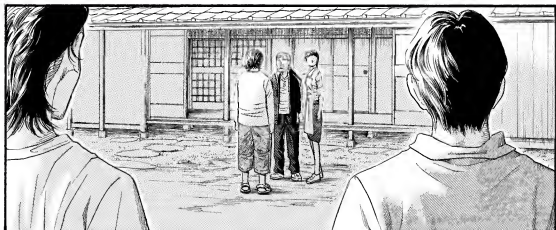


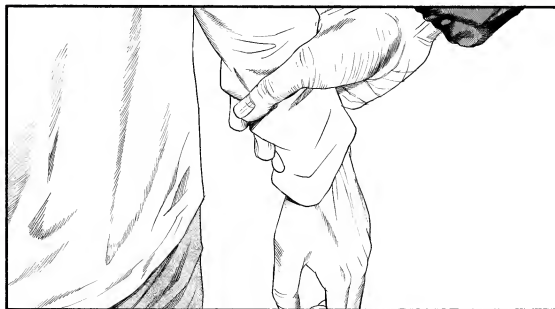


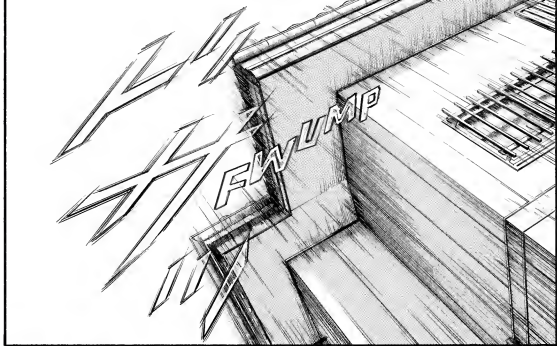


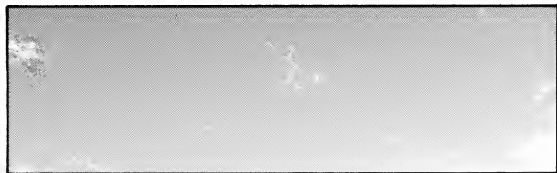
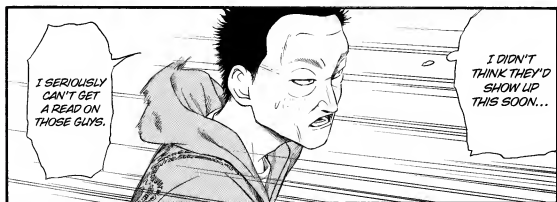


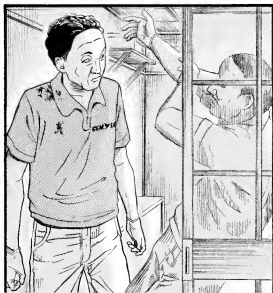
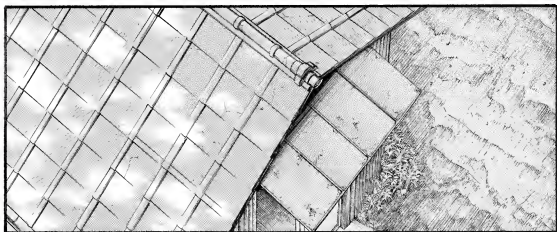
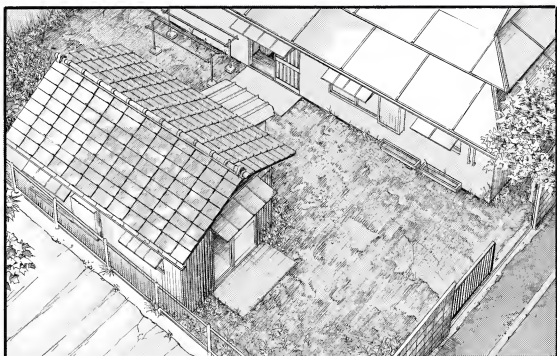


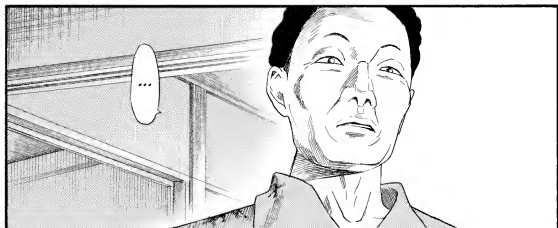
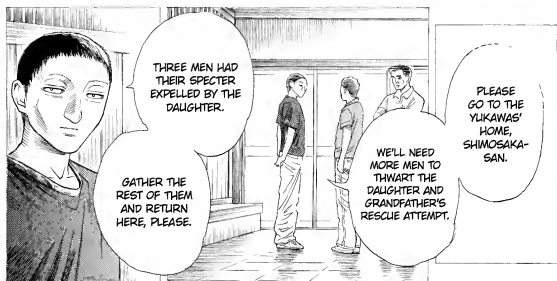


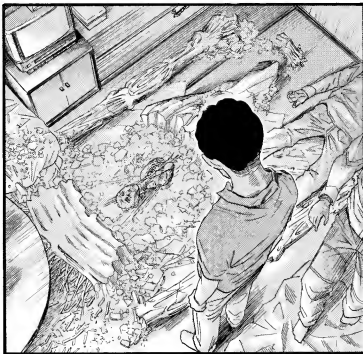
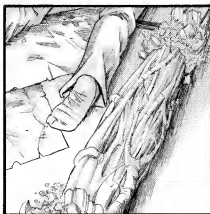
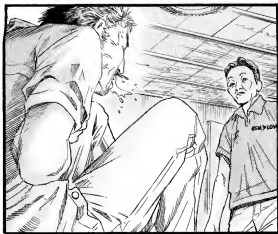


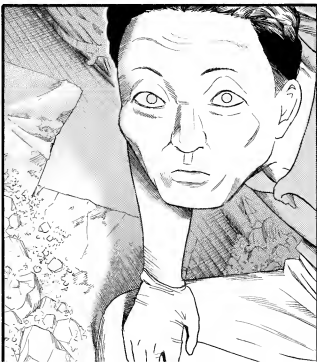
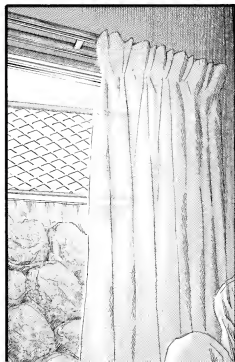
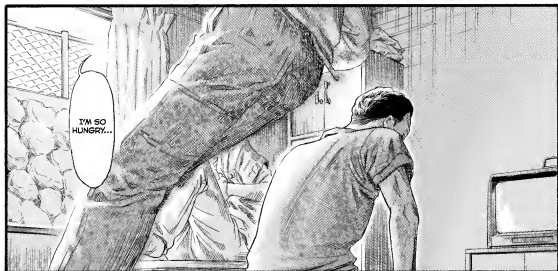


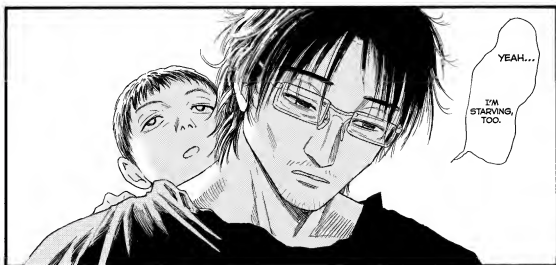


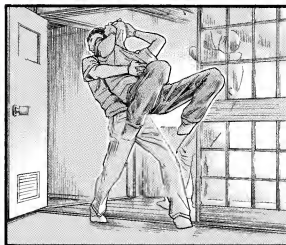


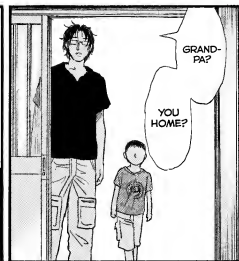
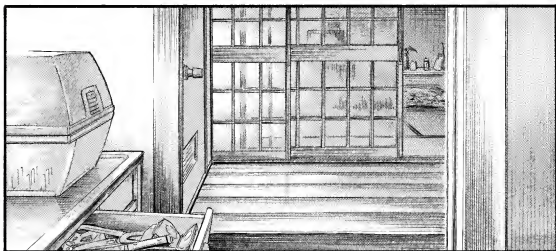
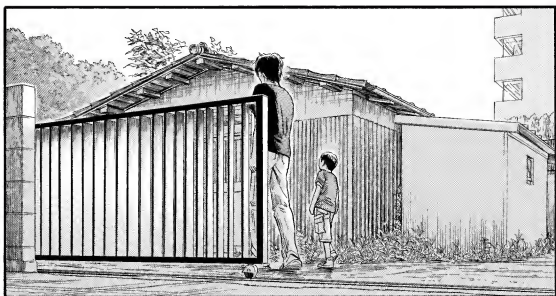


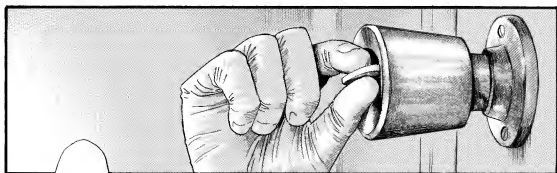
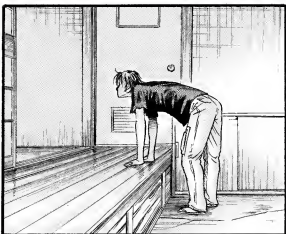
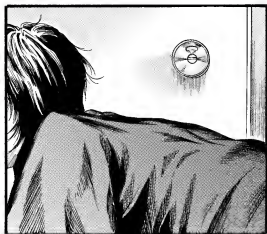


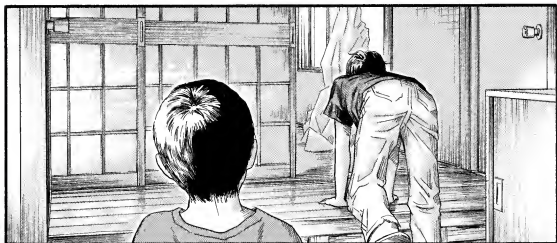
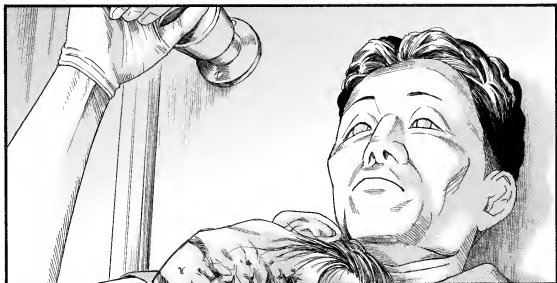




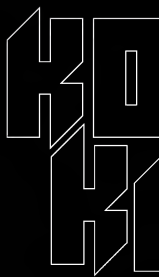


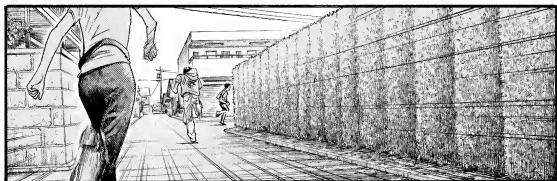


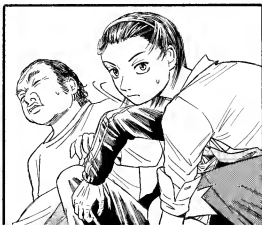


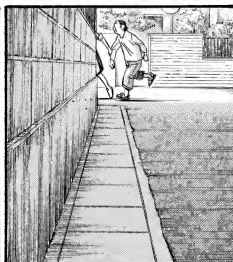
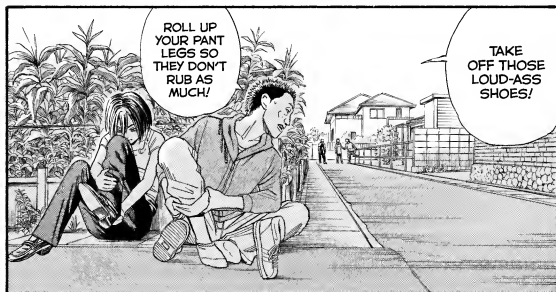












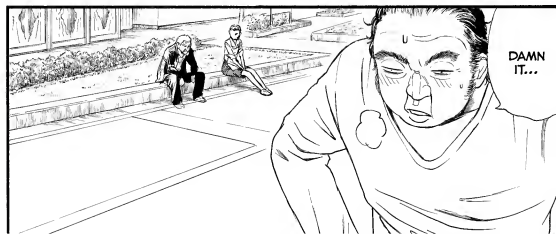


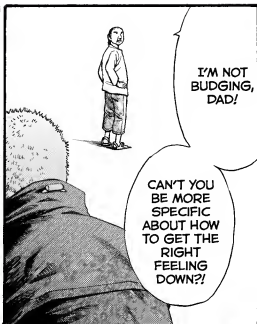


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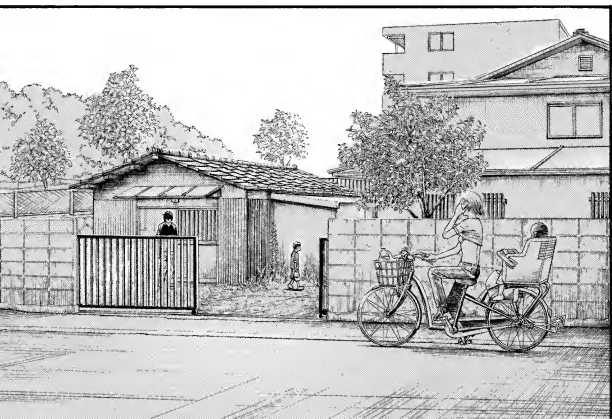
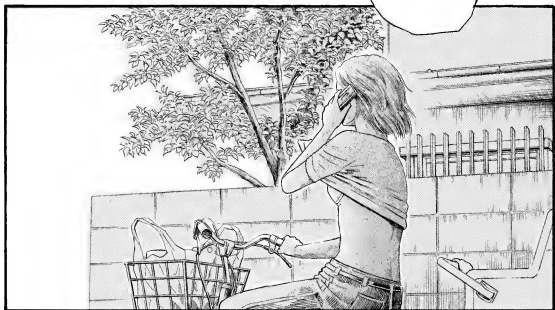


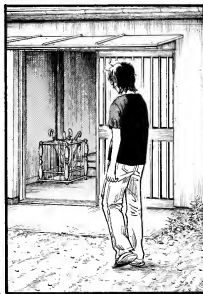
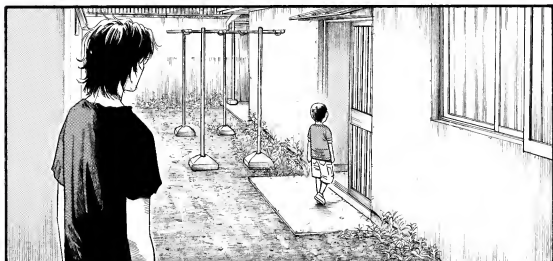




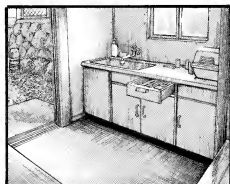
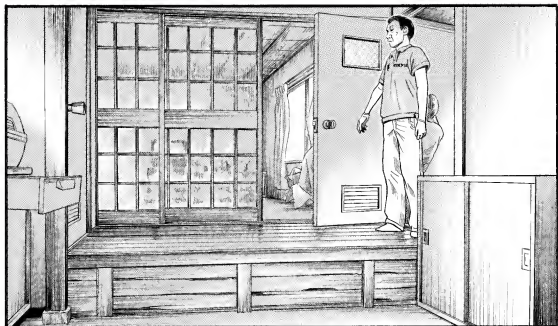


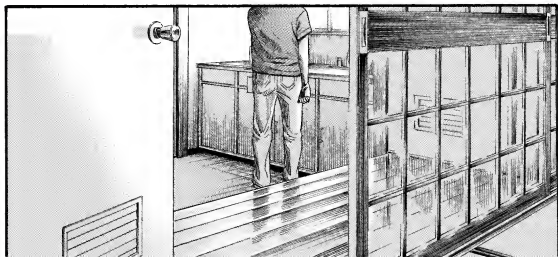
IT'S
BY THE
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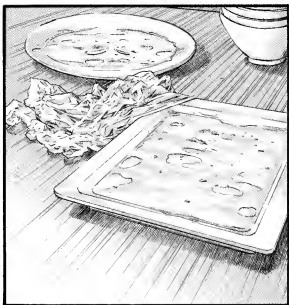
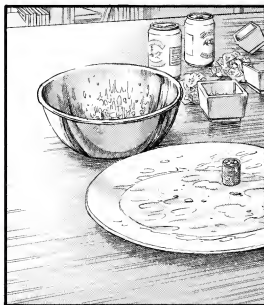


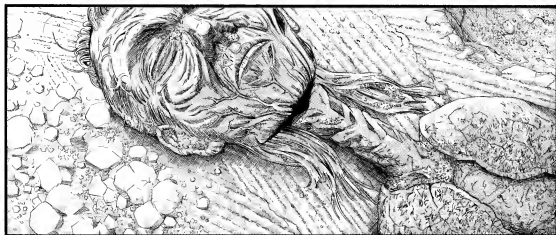


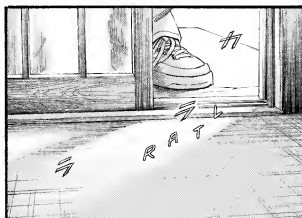
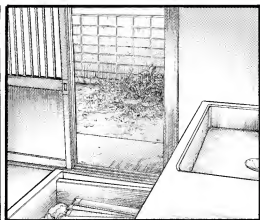
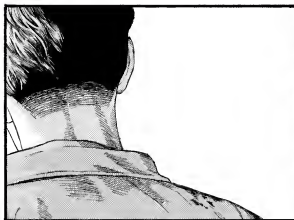


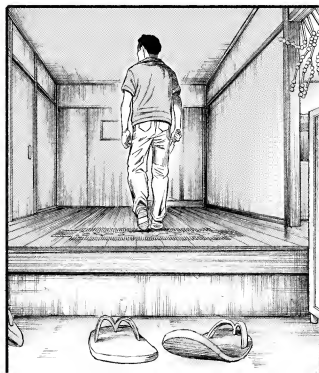
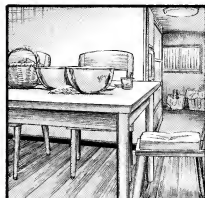
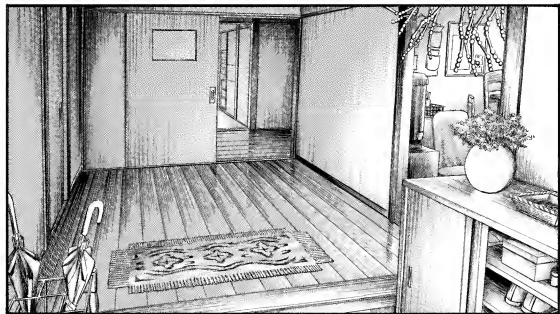






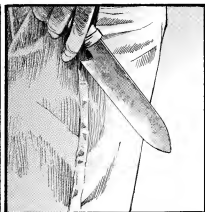
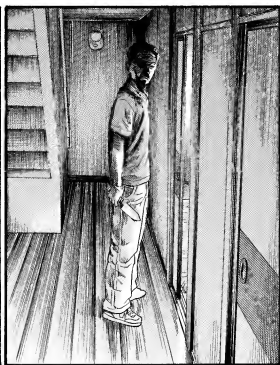


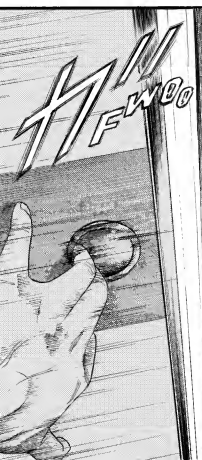
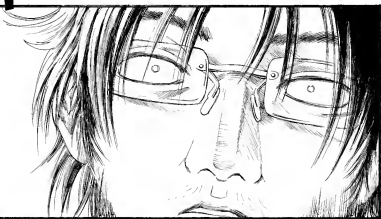








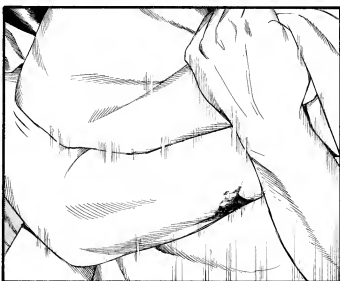


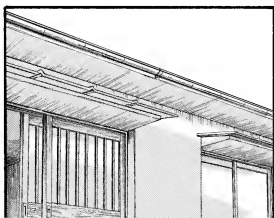
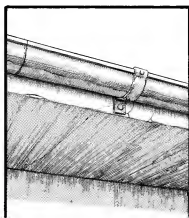
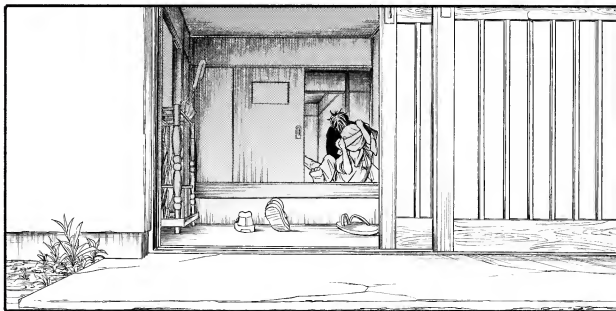


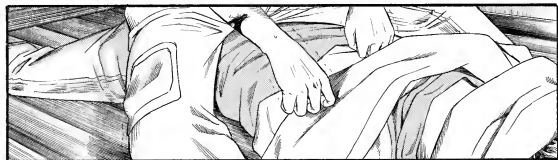
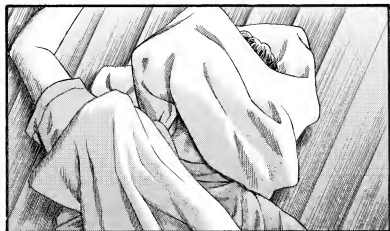
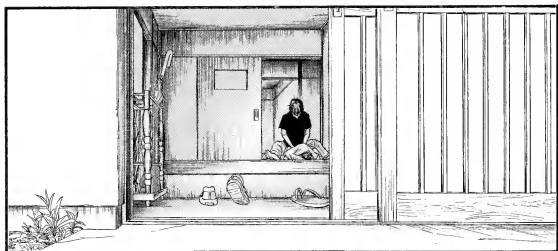


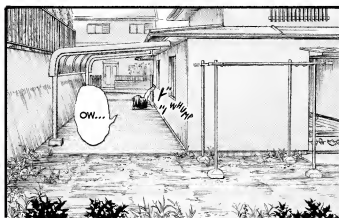
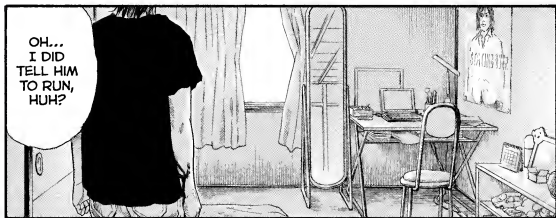


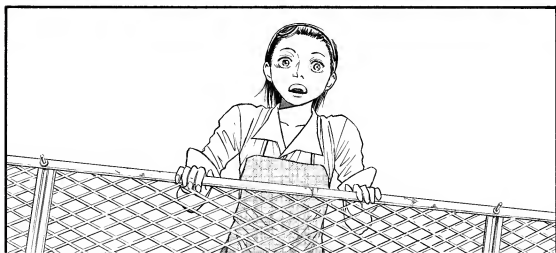
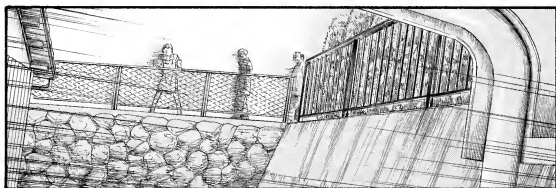






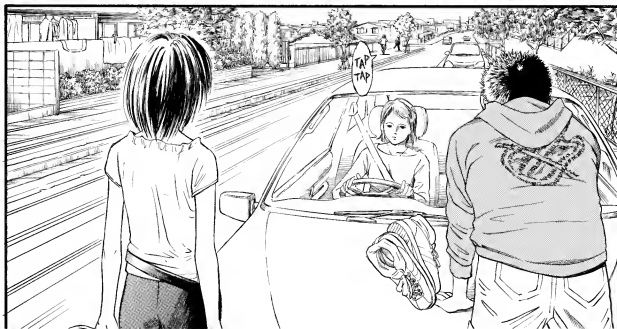
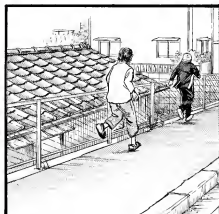


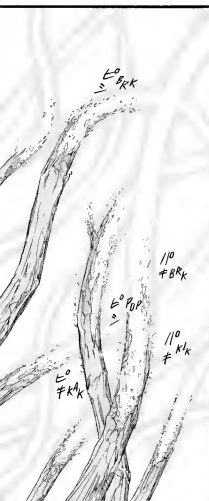














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